

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 56th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

CONFERENCE

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN SENATOR JACK WELLS**, on April, 14 1999
at 9:00 A.M., in Room 420 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Jack Wells, Chairman (R)
Sen. Tom A. Beck (R)
Sen. Steve Doherty(D)
Rep. Brad Molnar (R)
Rep. Bob Raney (D)
Rep. Jim Shockley (R)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Legal Staffer, Doug Sternberg

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and
discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Committee Business Summary:

Free Conference Committee: HB 315, 4/14/1999

Sen. Jack Wells opens again, for our second meeting.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 1 - 4}

Rep. Raney comments on amendments.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 5 - 58}

Rep. Molnar comments.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 59 - 63}

**Rep. Shockley states it is the Legislature's duty to manage
depts. through legislation.**
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 64 - 72}

Rep. Raney compromises on his amendments.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 73 - 101}

Sen. Wells clarifies new list.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 102 - 107}

Rep. Raney responds.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 108 - 110}

Legal Staffer, Doug Sternberg wants to provide current, accurate list for Committee.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 111 - 120}

Recess until Mr. Sternberg can provide list and does so.
Discussion follows.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 131 - 286}

Sen. Wells capsulates list and amendments.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 287 - 311}

Sen. Beck comments.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 313 - 315}

Sen. Wells calls for a vote on new list and it passes unanimously.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 316 - 322}

Rep. Raney moves to strike or move amendments.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 323 - 331}

Rep. Raney moves we in-insert language by name, plus add additional sites.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 333 - 418}

Sen. Beck questions Rep. Raney, calls on Fish, Wildlife and Parks personnel present to answer and clarify. Arnold Olsen, Chief of Operations, F.W.& P. testifies.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 419 - 457}

Sen. Wells moves the new list - Amended and it passes unanimously.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 458 - 474}

Rep. Raney proposes additional sites.
{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 474 - 484}

Rep. Shockley comments.

{Tape : 1; Side : A; Approx. Tape Counter : 485 - 493}

Rep. Raney calls Committee's attention to the need for 'no developed camping sites'.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Tape Counter : 494 - 505}

Rep. Shockley comments on dust abatement and Rep. Molnar comments.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Tape Counter : 510 - 512}

Discussion between Rep. Raney and Staffer Sternberg concerning power, electric lines and other details.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Tape Counter : 513 - 522}

Sen. Beck calls for vote on amended sites and it passes unanimously.

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Rep. Raney moves all amendments and they pass unanimously.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Tape Counter : 540 - 542}

Rep. Shockley moves HB 315 as amended.

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Sen. Wells clarifies HB 315 in its entirety.

{Tape : 1; Side : B; Approx. Tape Counter : 546 - 554}

Sen. Wells calls for a vote on HB 315 as amended and it passed unanimously.

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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 9:55 A.M.

REP. BRAD MOLNAR, Chairman

LINDA L. SCOTT, Secretary

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EXHIBIT (cch81hb0315aad)